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I _____ them and _____ the stables. I can _____ basic health problems, eg, grazes. I _____ horses, too. The people who _____ their horses in my stables _____ and _____ them. They can also _____ me to _____ their horses for them.

2. Odd one out.

- a. hay – oats – muesli – stable
- b. mane – hoof – graze – tail
- c. feed – ride – lose – clean
- d. paddock – skjörning – stables – school

3. Read or listen to the whole interview and answer the following questions.

a. What do Anna's horses eat?

b. How many horses has Anna got?

c. Which school can you go to to learn more about horses?

d. What is skjörning?

e. What doesn't Anna like about her job?

4. Discuss with a friend.

- a. What is your favourite animal?
- b. Do you know how to ride a horse?
- c. Is it difficult to look after a horse?

SOLUTIONS

1. Listen to the part of the interview about how Anna looks after other people's horses. Fill in the verbs in the correct form.

I **feed** them and **clean** the stables. I can **treat** basic health problems, eg, grazes. I **train** horses, too. The people who **keep** their horses in my stables **come** and **ride** them. They can also **ask** me to **ride** their horses for them.

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3. Read or listen to the whole interview and answer the following questions.

a. What do Anna's horses eat?

They eat hay, oats, muesli, vitamins, and carrots.

b. How many horses has Anna got?

(She has got) 2 (two) horses.

c. Which school can you go to to learn more about horses?

(You can go to) a college in Kladruby.

d. What is skjörning?

It's a sport where a horse pulls you on skis.

e. What doesn't Anna like about her job?

(She doesn't like it) when horses lose their hair in spring and cleaning horses when they are dirty.

4. Discuss with a friend.

- a. What is your favourite animal?
- b. Do you know how to ride a horse?
- c. Is it difficult to look after a horse?